We Invite You To Make Your Pledge for 2022

It is not too late to give thanks for our many gifts, including those we hold in common as St. Hagop faithful. We invite you to bring your pledge card to worship, mail it in, or submit online. Gratitude & prayers for all our stewards and our beloved St. Hagop Armenian Church!

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A Great Start for 2022 Pledge Stewardship

So far, we have 84 pledges for \$143,195 towards 2022. May the Lord bless all our offerings!

Richard & Diana Aginian, George & Joan Agnacian, John & Susan Arsenault, Eileen Barsamian, Chuck & Lisa Begian, Krikor & Sossi Bogharian, Robert & Janet Davidian, Fr. Hovnan & Yn. Anna Demerjian, Ken & Karen Demerjian, Jean-Jacques & Hasmig Demerjian, Raffi & Tanya Demerjian, Paul & Primrose Demirdjian, Fred Dikranian, Robert & Lori Dorian, Leilani Doty, Araxi Dulgeroff, Ardavazt & Adrienne Ekizian, Greogry & Alysia Ekizian, John & Victoria Franks, Martha-Anne Garabedian, Adrienne Guendjoian, Richard & Paull ine Gilgan, Teresa Haidarian, Berg & Tamar Hajian, Hayley Hovhanessian, Greg & Stephanie Hovsepian, Shi-1 rak and Johanna Hovsepian, Robina Hovsepian, Zvart Jambazian, Richard & Christina Kachadurian, George & Debra Kamajian, Edward Kapreilian, Samuel & Beatrice Kapreilian, Florence Kazanjian, David & Nancy Ka-| zarian, Lilian Kazarian, Hannelore Keshishian, Harout Keshishian, Robert Koolakian, Margaret Kratlian, Sophia Manoulian Kugeares, Chau Long, Noubar & Ann Mahdessian, William & Christine Martin, Richard & Linda Maslar, Vazken & Maggie Melkisetian, Vasken & Karen Minassian, Robert Mirak, Ida Merakyan, Agop & Victoria Mouradian, Julie Zvart Nilges, Bejan & Rebekah Nouri, Mirella Ovanesian, John & Joanne Pehlivanian, Scott & Raelene Pullen, James & Lusine Roesch, Chris & Nicholas Sagherian, Arsen & Varduhi Sahakvan, Alex & Carolyn Saharian, Stephen Saharian, John & Kathleen Samuelian, Martha Samuelian, Tanya Sarafian, Chuck & Kathy Sarkisian, Vahak & Elizabeth Sarkis, Leon & Sharon Sarkisian, Chris & Carol Sassouni, Yates & Lexy Sayers, Stepan & Seta Serpekian, Jinev Shahinian, Stephen Shahinian, Lizzy Shahnasarian, Michael & Jean Shahnasarian, Norair & Maro Shaldjian, John & Kelly Shamsey, Robert & Christina Shamsey, Daniel & Norma Takoushian, Tigran & Lucine Vartazarian, Tim & Adrienne Vartanian Milewski, Artin & Amy Vartoukian, James & Cathy Wilson, Haig Yaghoobian, Haig & Louise Yardumian, Maurice & Mary Youakim



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Third Sunday of Great Lent

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Sunday of the Prodigal Son



Today's Scripture Readings: Isaiah 54:11-55:13 2 Corinthians 6:1-7:1 Luke 15:1-32



Wine and String Cheese-Fri. March 18th

Come sip Armenian wine and learn the art of making Armenian string cheese. This fun-filled evening is open to all and will take place on Friday, March 18, 7:30-9pm. Space limited to 12 participants. Cost is \$30/person for cheese supplies and wine; you take your cheese home! Bring your favorite apron or extras available. RSVP by March 12; your check is your reservation (pay to St. Hagop Church, memo: 'string cheese'). Come say cheese/paneer! Contact Yn. Anna <u>anna.demerjian@gmail.com</u> for RSVP & questions.

Request for Literary Submissions

Dr George Kamajian is inviting submissions for his new on-line magazine, Sayat Nova Today. Prose and poetry are welcome from all ages. The subject matter does not have to be Armenian. Previously published works are eligible. Please submit via email to pilafporeeg@tampabay.rr.com. Thank you in advance for your submissions!



Youth Summer Camps & Conferences

Each year many young Armenians come together at St. Nersess and St. Vartan Camp in NY and Hye Camp in IL. All programs allow youth from across the nation to gather together, grow in their faith & cultural identity, and have a great time. Visit Diocesan Summer camp website diocesansummercamps.org and St. Nersess website stnersess.edu for dates & more info.

St. Hagop Teens Discipleship Group

Our next zoom meeting is **Thurs. April 7 at 7PM**. We gather online monthly for one hour and spend time on faith-filled discussion and bonding together as teens of St. Hagop Armenian Church. Contact group leader Daron or Fr. Hovnan to join our meetings or with any questions!



Join us Any Sunday for Sunday School!

Calling all parents of youth ages 5-12! Join us every Sunday for great teachers and interactive lessons on church & Armenian culture. Our classroom is for ages 5-12. Sunday School starts at 11:00 am (room open at 10:45). After a 30-45 minute lesson, children worship in church. We look forward to seeing all our young families this year! Contact us with any questions at sundayschool@sthagopfl.org.

St. Hagop Church Podcast



Now you can listen to St. Hagop sermons. conversations and reflections wherever you listen to podcasts; in the car, on a walk or with your family on your smart speaker! Just type in 'Saint Hagop Church on Apple, Google, Spotify or Amazon Podcast platforms. If you prefer, you can even tell alexa, siri or google assistant to 'play st. hagop church podcast' (make sure to pronounce 'hagop' like an American)!

Services and Events

Sun. March 13	Lenten Divine Liturgy/Sunday School (11am) Coffee Hour Fellowship in Hall	10:30am-12:30pm 12:30pm—1:30pm
Wed. March 16	'The Chosen' Episode 2-Lenten Film Night	7:00pm-8:30pm
Fri. March 18	Wine & String Cheese Making Event RSVP to Yn. Anna, space limited to 12	7:30pm
Sun. March 20	Lenten Divine Liturgy/Sunday School (11am) Coffee Hour Fellowship in Hall	10:30am-12:30pm 12:30pm—1:30pm

Join Us for the Next Episode of 'The Chosen'-Wed 7PM

Join us for the next episode of the Gospel story, Wednesday 7-8:30PM in the Shahnasarian Hall. Popcorn, drinks, movie large screen video and sound, fellowship! Episodes are stand alone, you can watch one or all. All are welcome!

Requiem Prayers for The Month of March

It is our church's tradition to pray every Sunday for our loved ones asleep in Christ, especially during the Intercessions (p. 35-38) and Der Voghormya (p. 45). This month, please pray for these deceased and their surviving family members for peace in Christ:

Jerry Przegendza, Adrina Movsesian, Leo Kassabian, Serpouhie Vizoyan, Krikor Atamian, Fr. Basilio Talatinian, Nishan Apelian, Sherrie Demerjian, George Manooshian, Shirley Omartian, Harout Karajian, Carnig Terzian

Please contact the church to add your loved one to our monthly requiem list. Donations to St. Hagop, or sponsoring coffee hour in honor of departed loved ones are welcome any Sunday. Full requiem/ hokehankist service may also be requested at least one week in advance of date.

Prayer Requests

Please keep Rose Terzian, Hasmig Demerjian, Wayne & Lynne Wyles, Patty Arakelian, Leon Sarkisian, Jacob Cantor, Stephen Hazerjian, Beverly Baez, Nina Sarkisian, Anna Tossoonian, Carol Jean Azarian-Miller, Betty Witzel, Lucian Grove, Anthony Forzaglia, Ruth Marie Samuelian, William Lowrie, Ida Merakyan, Beatrice Kapreilian, Dr. Dennis Papazian, Louis Bellantoni, Kamo Gyularian, Aggie Ellian, Adrienne Ekizian, Sarah Malajian, Alex & Carolyn Saharian, Charles Garabedian, Harold & Tanina Garabedian and Debra Curry in your prayers for health and all good gifts in Christ.

Kiss of Peace

Below is the greeting and response for the "Kiss of Peace," also found on p.27 in your pew books:

The greeting is:

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Krisdos ee mech mer haydnestav. Christ is revealed among us.

The response is:

Ophutau t juniniphilu Pphunnuh: Orhnyal eh haydnootyoonun Krisdosee. Blessed is the Revelation of Christ.